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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of October 21, 2004, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 21, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding objection and rejections, as well as an indication of the allowability of all the claims pending in the present application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper and includes one attached sheet.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.